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1. TALENT PHOTOGRAPHY OF [REDACTED] FIRST REVEALED THIS INSTALLATION AS A MAJOR SOVIET GUIDED MISSILE TEST RANGE. THE [REDACTED] COVERAGE AND ADDITIONAL COVERAGE IN [REDACTED] REVEALED FOUR SURFACE-TO-SURFACE BALLISTIC MISSILE TEST LAUNCH COMPLEXES IN VARIOUS STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION, ONE FOR AERODYNAMIC VEHICLES AND TWO FOR TRAINING; A LARGE SURFACE-TO-AIR MISSILE DEVELOPMENT COMPLEX, AND A CONSIDERABLE AMOUNT OF SUPPORTING FACILITIES FOR THE OPERATION OF THIS HIGHLY ACTIVE AND DIVERSIFIED PAD FACILITY.
2. [REDACTED] SUBSEQUENT KH MISSIONS FROM [REDACTED] REVEALED THE COMPLETION OF EXISTING FACILITIES, AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITIONAL FACILITIES: SUCH AS, NEW LAUNCH SITES AT THE SAM R & D COMPLEX, MRBM AND IRBM SILO TEST FACILITIES AND SOFT SITE TRAINING FACILITIES, AND MISCELLANEOUS ELECTRONICS AND SUPPORT FACILITIES.
3. [REDACTED] PROVIDED THE FIRST [REDACTED] COVERAGE OF KYMTC, BUT CLOUDS, OBLIQUITY AND HEAVY SNOW HAMPERED INTERPRETATION.
4. [REDACTED] PROVIDED THE BEST COVERAGE TO DATE. LAUNCH COM-

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PLEXES "A", "B", AND "C" WERE OBSERVED IN GREAT DETAIL. HIGH-LIGHTS REPORTED WERE, A SS-4 TRAINING EXERCISE UNDER WAY AT COMPLEX "A"; A NEWLY IDENTIFIED LAUNCH FACILITY AT COMPLEX "B"; A TRAINING EXERCISE AT "3-C" WITH MISSILE, ERECTOR, AND OTHER SUPPORT VEHICLES VISIBLE; SILOS AT 4C-1 AND 4C-2, AND TWO MISSILES ON TRANSPORTERS AT 5C-1. A RAIL-SERVED UNIDENTIFIED FACILITY WAS LOCATED BEHIND LAUNCH COMPLEX "B".

5. THIS MISSION REVEALS THE FOLLOWING NEW ACTIVITY:

LAUNCH COMPLEX "C". A NEW RAIL SPUR UNDER CONSTRUCTION BRANCHES FROM THE RAIL SERVING LAUNCH AREA 1C JUST WEST OF THE COMPLEX "C" OPERATIONS CONTROL CENTER AND EXTENDS TO THE FORMER 4C SUPPORT AREA. ROAD BED CONSTRUCTION CURRENTLY TERMINATES AT THE ROAD SERVING LAUNCH AREAS 4 AND 5C. CONSTRUCTION IS APPARENTLY CONTINUING AT LAUNCH AREA 1C. VEHICLE TRACKS APPEAR TO ENCIRCLE THE ENTIRE LAUNCH AREA. A POSSIBLE MISSILE EXERCISE IS UNDER WAY AT LAUNCH AREA 2C. AN UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT OR OBJECTS ARE LOCATED AT THE CENTER OF THE NORTHERN PAD AND SEVERAL VEHICLES/PIECES OF EQUIPMENT ARE ON THE SOUTHERN PAD. A PROBABLE MISSILE EXERCISE IS UNDER WAY AT LAUNCH AREA 3C. AN UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT/OBJECTS ARE LOCATED AT THE CENTER OF THE PAD AND SEVERAL VEHICLES/PIECES OF EQUIPMENT

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ARE PRESENT ON THE PAD.

SAM FACILITIES. NEW ACTIVITY NW OF THE SAM R & D AREA - THE ROAD SERVING THE NEW ACTIVITY NOW JOINS THE MAIN ROAD INTO THE SAM COMPLEX IMMEDIATELY TO THE REAR OF THE SAM R & D LAUNCH AREA. THE CENTER OF THE NEW ACTIVITY AT THE END OF THE NEW ROAD IS BEING FENCED.

SA-3 LAUNCH AREA - AT LEAST THREE OF THE LAUNCH SITES APPEAR TO HAVE EQUIPMENT PRESENT. (NOT SHOWN ON GRAPHIC)

PROBABLE MISSILE ASSEMBLY AND CHECKOUT AREA. THE RAIL-SERVED PROBABLE MISSILE ASSEMBLY AND CHECKOUT AREA APPROXIMATELY 5 NM NORTH OF LAUNCH COMPLEX "C" SHOWS NEW CONSTRUCTION SCARRING SINCE

[REDACTED] WEST AND NORTH OF THE EXISTING FACILITY.

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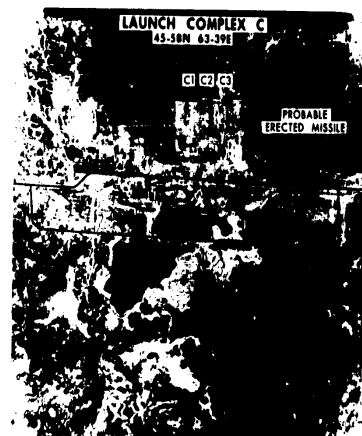
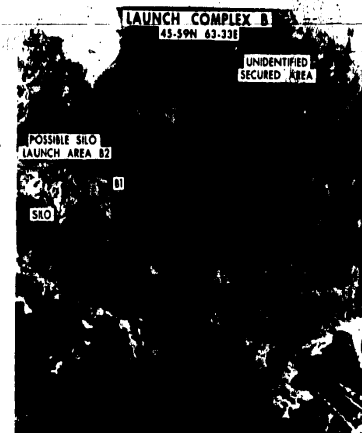
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